

CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

Title of publication: 0a0prnrdysfgpdkg9c6j

Other known title(s): Not stated

OFLC ref: 1800604.003

Medium: Image File

Publisher: Not stated

Country of origin: Not stated

Language: Not applicable

Applicant: Commissioner of Police

Classification:	Objectionable.
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Descriptive note: None

Display conditions: None

Date of entry in Register: 11 February 2019

Date of direction to issue a label: No direction to issue a label has been issued

Date of notice of decision: 11 February 2019

Summary of reasons for decision:

The image file is deemed to be objectionable because promotes and supports the exploitation of children for sexual purposes, the use of violence or coercion to compel any person to submit to sexual conduct, and acts of extreme cruelty. Such an image can only be intended to sexually arouse those with an interest in the cruel sexual abuse of very young children. The classification of the publication interferes with the right to freedom of expression set out in the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990. However, this is an outcome that is consistent with Parliament's intention and reflects the concern of a free and democratic society to protect its young and vulnerable members from exploitation.